IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of

William V. GOODHUE

U.S. Serial No. 10/601,667

Filed: June 24, 2003

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Group Art Unit 3727

S. Cronin, Examiner

PACKAGING DEVICE FOR FASTENERS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment / a response in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.
X An additional fee is required as calculated below -

	Claims				Other Than A
	Remaining	Highest No.		Small Entity	Small Entity
	After	Previously	Present	Addn	1. Addnl.
	Amendment	Paid For	Extra	Rate Fee	Rate Fee
Total	73	Minus * <u>61</u>	12	x \$ 25 \$ <u>300</u>	_ x \$ 50 \$
Indep	9	Minus * <u>8</u>	1_	x \$100 \$ <u>100</u>	x \$200 \$
First	Presentation of	Mul Dep Claim		x \$180 \$ -0-	x \$360 \$

* The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number of claims filed originally or highest number found from equivalent box of a prior amendment.

X This response is being filed within the period for response.

Applicant(s) hereby petition for an extension from the date of the Examiner's Action as follows:

 First-Month Extension	\$ 60.00 / \$	120.00
 Second-Month Extension	\$ 225.00 / \$	450.00
Third-Month Extension	\$ 510.00 / \$3	1020.00

X Small entity status of this application has been established.

A Check in the amount of \$\frac{400.00}{2000} is attached hereto. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-3690 of the undersigned attorney. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted

Date: December 21, 2004

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the official action mailed September 22, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.